

How Teledentistry Can Serve You



Dental pain is an aspect of life that can be out of our control. Delta Dental of Wisconsin wants to make sure you're aware of additional ways to access care and use your benefits.

Contact your dentist's office to find out if they offer teledentistry services. When dentists evaluate patients over the phone or via video conference, patients can find out if their dental problem qualifies as an emergency without leaving the house.

The American Dental Association recommends contacting your dentist if you need or experience*:

- Bleeding that doesn't stop
- Painful swelling in or around your mouth
- Pain in a tooth, teeth, or jawbone
- Gum infection with pain or swelling
- After-surgery treatment (dressing change, stitch removal)
- Denture adjustment for people receiving radiation or other treatment for cancer, or adjustments/repairs when function is impeded

- Broken or knocked-out tooth
- Snipping or adjusting wire of braces that hurts your cheek or gums
- Biopsy of abnormal tissue
- Replacement of temporary fillings
- Final crown/bridge cementation if the temporary restoration is lost or broken

View your dental plan coverage for teledentistry (problem-focused exams, code D0140), by logging in to our member portal at www.deltadentalwi.com and visiting the Plan Features, Benefit Coverage & Limitations page found under the Coverage & Costs tab. If you have trouble finding the page, chat online with one of our live agents Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. CST.

Learn more about teledentistry coverage by reading our blog: www.deltadentalwi.com/teledentistry.

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* MouthHealthy.org: What is a Dental Emergency? 3-19-2020